

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In Re.: Mark Andrew Boys
Date of Deposit: 05/17/2005
Ref: Case Docket No.: P1364

Serial No.: 10/016,831 Filed: 12/12/2001

Subject: A Direct Passthrough System for Financial Contributions

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one (1) month, to respond to the office action letter mailed in the above-referenced case on 02/02/2005, for which a 3-month shortened statutory period was set to expire on 05/02/2005. This requested extension extends the time for response to 06/02/2005.

The petitioner is an established small entity.

A check for \$60.00 is enclosed for the extension fee.

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Respectfully submitted, Mark Andrew Boys

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